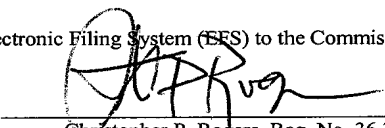


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In response to the Office Action of September 19, 2007, entry and reconsideration of the amendments and remarks set forth below is respectfully requested.

A **Request for Continued Examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is also filed herewith.

A **Petition for Revival of Unintentionally Abandoned Application** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) is also filed herewith.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.